Selection of PGTs for Kendriya Vidyalaya of Kabul and Moscow

3277. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that selection of teachers for posting in Kendriya Vidyalayas of Kabul & Moscow is done on the basis of interviews held by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan;

(b) whether interviews were held for selection for posts of Post Graduate Teachers in History in 1987;

(c) if so, what are the details of dates, candidates, composition of selection Committee of all interviews held therefor;

(d) whether any circular was released in December, 1987 inviting applications for the said posts; and

(e) if so, what are the details of candidates selected therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI L. P. SHAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir. For Post Graduate Teacher (History) in Kendriya Vidyalaya, Moscow.

(c) A statement indicating the details of dates of interviews, candidates interviewed and composition of Selection Committee is Annexed. [*See* Appendix CXLIX, Annexure No. 175]

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) In pursuance of the interview held in November '87 the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan tentatively selected the candidate and consulted the Ministry of External Affairs for finalising the selection and posting of the selected candidate in the Kendriya Vidyalaya abroad. Since the consultation took time, the vacancy was circulated again to save time, if a fresh selection became necessary. However, in the mean while selection was finalised and therefore, no interview was held.

Facilities of mobile-library-cum bookstall in long distance trains

3278. SHRI N. RAJANGAM: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken a decision to provide mobile-library-*cum*-bookstall in each and every long distance trains;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAV RAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) It has been decided not to allot any fresh contract of mobile-library-*cum*-bookstall, as bookstalls available at all important stations, and some berths otherwise occupied by such contractors can be utilised for passengers.

विमान दुर्घटनाओं को रोकने हेतु धुन्ध निरोधक मशीनों का इस्तेमाल

3279. **श्री विश्वासराव रामराव पाटिल :** क्या नागर विमानन और पर्यटन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार ने मौसम में धुंध के कारण होने वाली विमान दुर्घटनाओं को रोकने के लिये कुछ धुंध निरोधक मशीनें खरीदी हैं ;